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## CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

The Austrians have captured Sam-  
arte, on the Save.

Valjeo has contributed \$1200 to  
the yellow fever fund.

A Special Council of Masons met  
in Milwaukee on the 17th.

Three hundred stone cutters struck  
at Chicago on the 16th for an advance  
in wages.

The recent report regarding  
an English protectorate over  
Egypt is contradicted.

The Grand Lodge of the United  
States I. O. O. F. met in regular  
session at Baltimore on the 16th.

The Do Young libel trial was called  
in Placerville on the 16th, but was  
continued until Monday next.

Twenty ballots had been taken up  
to the night of the 16th, but were  
not counted.

The Secretary of the Treasury on  
the 16th issued his seventy-first call  
for the redemption of 5.25 bonds of  
1865.

A convention is to be held at  
Lowell, Mass., on October 2d, to nominate  
a successor to General Butler in  
Congress.

On the 16th George Acosta accidentally  
shot himself at Monterey, while out  
hunting, the wound necessitating the  
amputation of his hand.

The Farmers' and Merchants' Bank  
of Los Angeles is declared by Bank  
Commissioner Murphy to be in a  
healthy condition.

The revenue party raiding Sumner  
county, Tennessee, report the de-  
struction of three distilleries. They  
think this ends the list in Sumner  
county.

The Finance Committee of the San  
Francisco Board of Supervisors have  
been instructed to find out, if possible,  
the whereabouts of the protested tax  
monies collected by Austin, and to  
summon such persons and examine  
such papers as they think necessary.

## Yellow Fever.

MEMPHIS, Sept. 17.—The mortality  
yesterday was greater than was anticipated—111 deaths being reported, 36  
of which were colored. Sunday there  
were 92 deaths, instead of 90, as re-  
ported.

VICKSBURG, Sept. 17.—There were  
92 deaths yesterday. Warm weather;  
thermometer, 92°.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 17.—From  
noon to 6 p. m. yesterday 24 deaths  
and 134 new cases were reported.

Grenada yesterday reported four  
new cases and six deaths.

Canton reports new cases yes-  
terday, 20; deaths, 1. Total cases to  
date 404; deaths, 56.

A petition is being circulated at  
Philadelphia, which prays President  
Hayes to set apart a day for national  
fasting and prayer.

New Orleans has already notified the  
country that she has sufficient funds  
to carry her through to the frost and  
now her Grand Master of Masons reiterates the statement and asks that  
nothing more be sent.

Vicksburg, also, returns her heart-  
felt thanks to her generous friends in  
the North and announces that she, too,  
has all the supplies she needs.

## A Negro Turning White.

[Cincinnati Enquirer.]

A physiological phenomenon has  
just been discovered in this city by  
one of the district physicians. It is  
nothing less than a colored woman  
turning white. Luella Smith, aged  
thirty years, who is living at No. 60  
Gano alley, is not a mulatto. She's  
as black as your hat—in the face, but  
her body is gradually beginning to  
turn white as any Caucasian. This  
changing process began about five  
years ago, and now her body is fully  
two-fifths white; on her breast there  
is a white spot about eight inches  
long and six inches wide. Her limbs,  
too, present the same singular appear-  
ance, and if she keeps on she will in a  
few years be as white as anybody. At  
present she is being treated for con-  
sumption. The only white spots about  
her face are directly behind either ear  
and inside the ears. The doctors call  
this transformation "absorption of  
pigment," but whatever it is, it is  
extraordinary, and will elicit a good deal  
of attention from the medical profes-  
sion.

## The Government and the Railroads.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—French,  
the government auditor of Pacific  
railroad accounts, has been informed  
that the Union Pacific railroad is  
making up its accounts, and that they  
will be speedily forwarded to Wash-  
ington for inspection and approval, as  
required by act of Congress. The only  
company which has thus far neglected  
to take any steps toward complying  
with the law is the Central Pacific,  
and French says it will probably fall  
into the ranks soon. It is not thought  
that the companies will go to the  
expense of a suit in the Supreme Court  
to try to prove that the law compelling  
them to submit their accounts for  
audit to the government is uncon-  
stitutional.

## Glanders in California.

Another human victim to glanders  
in California is reported. This time it  
was one C. G. Hanna, who died near  
Modesto. The disease is spreading  
instead of abating, and stable keepers  
and owners of private stock should  
take more than ordinary care.

## THE PRE-HISTORIC GLIDER.

A Great Milpitas Inventor—A Slight Defect that may be Overcome.

[S. F. Stock Exchange.]

Another great inventor has just  
come to the surface. Some time ago,  
Mr. G., of the San Francisco  
Board, while on one of his celebrated  
pictorial excursions, discovered the  
rival of Edison in the person of a  
bucolic gentleman who raises chickens,  
hogs, pumpkins, fancy windmills,  
new-fangled plows and other remark-  
able products on a strip of land near  
Milpitas. Mr. G., was struck by the  
numerous evidences of the granger's  
industry, and particularly by the fact  
that he has grown steadily poorer by  
the use of his own inventions. Such  
proof of an original genius was so con-  
clusive that the warm-hearted broker  
extended to the struggling inventor  
encouragement and some faint hope  
of financial aid in a grand scheme on  
which the granger's mind was then  
concentrated. Secrecy being necessary  
to the consummation of the agricul-  
turalist's hopes, the broker was left  
for several months in torturing doubt  
of the exact nature and importance of  
the invention. The other day, how-  
ever, Mr. G. received an envelope  
bearing three superfluous postage  
stamps to insure its hasty delivery and  
addressed in a bold hand, marked  
by great inventive power in orthogra-  
phy and contempt for the ordinary  
rules of correspondence. Tearing it  
open the broker read:

## AT LAST IT IS ACCOMPLISHED:

THE TRIUMPH OF SIENNE ARE COMPLETE!  
Prehistoric man accomplished transportation  
without the use of wheels. I have long  
regarded with interest evidences of barbarism  
and savagery. What was not the wonder  
how did they carry the Great Blocks of grain  
to the pyramids. To the clearing of this  
mystery I have devoted my time and the  
use of my hands. I discovered they did it  
Gilding. I send you express a specimen  
of the prehistoric glider. Yours etc

## A Whole Family Murdered in Texas.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 16.—The follow-  
ing account of a most horrible murder  
is given in the dispatches from Houston,  
Texas. The wife of George Lynch,  
a respected citizen of Berkley,  
Texas, died some weeks ago, leaving  
an infant. Lynch had seven other  
children, the oldest, Clemie, being 17.  
On Friday night the family retired as  
usual, a lamp being left burning in  
the main room. At midnight the  
father was awakened by a pistol ball  
striking him in the breast. He sprang  
up and saw a masked man standing in  
the middle of the room, pointing a  
pistol at him. The assassin fired again,  
the ball lodging beneath his collar-  
bone. Lynch fell unconscious. When  
he recovered consciousness he found  
himself lying in a lane outside the  
premises. The assassin, thinking that  
Lynch was dead, seized a hatchet and  
put the children, who were witnesses,  
out of the way. He assaulted Clemie,  
buried the hatchet in her head, and  
also crushed the skulls of three other  
children, and then set fire to the  
house. The distracted father saw the  
building fall in on the bodies of eight  
children. The bodies were afterwards  
exhumed and an inquest held, when  
the hatchet wounds were discovered  
upon the heads of the children. It is  
thought Lynch will recover. A young  
man named Boatman, with whom  
Lynch had had a difficulty, is suspect-  
ed of the crime.

## The Discharged Fenians.

PORTLAND, Eng., Sept. 17.—Con-  
don and Melody, the Fenians, were  
discharged from Portland prison this  
morning, and immediately left for  
Southampton in charge of the deputy  
governor of the prison and two war-  
riors, who will attend them until they  
are embarked on the steamer Mosel,  
which sails to-day from Southampton  
for New York.

## An Unpleasant Question.

[Burlington Hawkeye.]  
"What is your trade?" as of his  
audience suddenly asked Kearney.  
"Me thrade? me thrade, is it?" re-  
sponded the astonished "workman,"  
and then turning appealingly to his  
secretary, "Browne, ye born devil ye,  
thwait in thunder is me thrade?"

In the Hodgdon trial at San Fran-  
cisco, on the 16th, the jury returned a  
verdict of murder in the second de-  
gree.

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

### Don't Forget It.

If you are troubled with nervous-  
ness, disheartened, tired of life, fear death  
or feel out of sorts, as the saying is, you may  
safely conclude that you have the Dyspepsia  
or Liver Complaint. The liver is very apt to  
become torpid at this season of the year, as  
persons arising from marshes, stagnant water  
are more numerous, and are, through inha-  
lation, taken into the blood. Unless the liver  
is strong and active, and furnishes a supply of  
fresh and pure blood to drive out the impurities  
of the liver, the above mentioned symptoms surely  
follow, and if not headed, end in more terrible  
diseases and death. White's Prairie Flower  
proves itself the great liver panacea. Its action  
on the liver is different from any medicine  
ever composed. Its cures are truly  
wonderful. Try it. Price, twenty-five cents  
and seventy-five cents. For sale by our drug-  
ists, OSBURN & SHOEMAKER.

By Ge-h-o-o-i-phat! gasped the  
great inventor, "I never thought of that."

He has temporarily abandoned me-  
chanics, and is now engaged in bear-  
ing-gas stock, by organizing a com-  
pany to import candle fish which are  
to be used for lighting. A roadbed on  
which the body won't glide up hill, you  
know."

"Yes, indeed," said Mr. G., "but  
it strike me you have overlooked two  
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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1878

#### EDITORIAL NOTES.

Before to-morrow night the Republican State convention will probably have made the gubernatorial nomination. We believe Mr. Kinkead will be the choice of the convention. The real task which the delegates have before them is to determine which would make the stronger run before the people—Conner or Kinkead. In point of ability and of character there is no choice between the gentlemen, but in the matter of strength there is. Kinkead is greatly the superior. The convention need, therefore, spend little time in giving us a candidate for Governor.

The first conviction in California under the law making it a misdemeanor to sell liquor to a habitual drunkard was obtained in a Justice's court in Middleton, Lake county, last week, and the saloon-keeper, E. Ford, was sentenced to twenty-five days' imprisonment in the county jail; but the Sheriff refused to receive him owing to a defect in the commitment. The drunkard's name is Kellogg. The complaint was made, as the law requires, by his wife. Such a law must meet with the approval of every right-minded person, of course, but we hope it won't be adopted in Nevada until after election.

In Philadelphia a petition is being circulated for signatures and when it weighs a ton or so it will be sent on to President Hayes, who will be expected, in answer to it, to appoint a day for fasting and prayer, the object being the abatement of the yellow fever in the South. A day of fasting and prayer in the North would be sure to supply the Southern cities with new sewers, and empty all the cess-pools and filthy back yards. It would also give every inhabitant of the South a bath.

The corrupt an' crawl'n' hellhound of the San Francisco *Exchange* has found a new name for the editor of the *Gazette*. "Sordid knave" it is now. There is one comfort, however. Kearney is coming back by way of the Isthmus, and the moment he enters the Golden Gate the slimy imp of the *Exchange* will jump the east-bound train. Then this fiery Rupert will have a chance to clutch the white plume of the fleeing bondholder an' beat the dirt wid him.

It is confidently expected that when Bradley gets the Democratic nomination Cassidy, of the *Eureka Sentinel*, will come out enthusiastically in favor of wringing the neck of the eagle and making the Crow the national bird. The Cassidean design for the silver dollar will probably be the Crow standing on one foot on a broken pledge and holding a sack of gold twenty in the talons of the other.

During the recent grand woman's rights congress in Paris one of the most prominent delegates present remarked that clothing for the body was nothing but "an anomaly of nature" which "would disappear when they get their rights." A woman's rights convention without clothes would be an interesting, an awful, a grisly, a skeletal, a ghastly sight.

The Robin Hood of the Levant. [Eiko Independent of Monday.] Sir Garnet Wolsey, the new Governor of Cyprus, is being importuned by some sentimental people to release Katteridji Janni, known as "the Robin Hood of the Levant," and now confined in that island. His career, as described in the London *Examiner*, has been a romantic one: When young man, living in Smyrna, he fell in love with his master's daughter, and planned an elopement, but was discovered in time by the irate father, who clapped his intended son-in-law into prison. Escaping, he turned bandit, and ruled one road between Smyrna and Aleppo. Nobody would betray him. He never murdered, but, like his Sherwood prototype, he was fond of eating fat, and liberally believing the destitute with their proceeds. Hundreds of portionless girls about to be married were, it is said, dowered by this romantic brigand. If Janni robbed, he did it like a gentleman. If he wanted to appropriate a supper for himself and starving companions, he would sit patiently until his terrified hosts had first eaten theirs and then depart quietly with the intention that the latter might thenceforth travel the country without dread of interference, for "Katteridji Janni never forgot a kindness." Weared, perhaps, of his lawless life, he voluntarily surrendered, on the understanding that his punishment would be confined to exile in Cyprus.

Oakland has adopted the Moffat bell punch. Oakland is a virtuous town, and the home of Local Option, but we fear now there will be such a devil of a clangor from thirsty men till staggering eve that dealers in cotton ear-wads will grow rich.

The San Francisco Stock Exchange is a very liberal and tolerant journal.

It says if the people of Visalia don't agree with it that Mr. White did right in cutting Dr. Mehring's throat, "then he had better move somewhere else."

### THE VISALIA TRAGEDY.

Mrs. White Makes a Statement.—A Curious Intimacy.

It is now evident that Kearney has run the length of his halter in the East. People were curious to see what manner of man it was that had raised such a row on the Pacific coast. They have been gratified. The New York papers have slaughtered Dennis by publishing his speeches in full. That was the severest blow Kearney has yet received. The journals don't bother with him much editorially now, and what is left of the mighty agitator is being picked very clean by the paragraphs. It did not take the Eastern newspaper men long to discover that Dennis was nothing more than a phenomenally impudent and conceited blackguard, with an extremely bad temper.

Mrs. Dr. Hodgdon, the abortionist whose victim died, has been convicted of murder in the second degree. It is a pity that the verdict had not been of the first degree and the woman hanged. She and the class to which she belongs are quite as bad as Troy Dye, for they kill for money in as base a way and kill also the soul of every woman who aids them in their crime. Mrs. Dr. Hodgdon won't be hanged, however. On the contrary she will probably get a new trial, be acquitted and continue to murder as before.

The Sisters of Charity in the Southern cities, says the Cleveland *Plain-dealer*, are distinguishing themselves during the prevalence of the plague. They are everywhere, like ministering angels, extending the soft hand of the woman to the fevered brow, tenderly nursing the sick and caring for the orphans.

The Gold Hill *News* every few days startles us with editorial announcements of this kind: "The Nile has not risen to its average height this season, and though there is sufficient irrigation for cotton, the Indian corn crop is doing very badly."

The Carson *Tribune* referring to the *Gazette's* suggestion, that R. M. Daggett be nominated for Congress, approves heartily and says: "He wears no corporation collar, and would reflect honor on Nevada in the halls of Congress."

The sapient idiots of the give away sheet is the extraordinary style in which the San Jose *Mercury* refers to the editorial staff of a contemporary.

The *Gazette's* proposal that R. M. Daggett be nominated for Congress meets with great favor everywhere.

Shooting at Mound Valley. [Eiko Independent of Monday.]

At a late hour Saturday night, John W. Williams was brought here from his home in Mound valley for surgical treatment, having been shot through the left thigh by a pistol in the hands of Fred Scott, at the primaries held in that precinct during the day. In consequence of an old dispute respecting a water right—the parties being neighbors—unfriendly feeling has existed for some time between them, which fact, it is thought, led to the unfortunate occurrence, but as the matter will probably receive judicial investigation, we shall indulge in no speculation. The ball, which was a large sized "whistler," passed clear through the leg, about midway between the knee and groin, causing a very severe wound, and, standing which the men clinched and had quite a lively tussle after the shooting. We visited Mr. Williams in his room at the Centennial lodging house to-day and found him resting quite comfortably. His attending surgeon, Dr. Lucas, inclines to the opinion that the wound will not prove serious, but says the full extent of the injury sustained can not be fully determined as yet.

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The Best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

Don't forget the old place, because it is just the same as ever.

### CROW CASSIDY.

The Fix He is in—Democratic War on the Base Range.

[Eureka Leader, Monday.]

The Democracy of the Base Range were in council last night. There are serious schisms in the ranks, and the breach must be healed on the chances for even a partial triumph will be slight indeed. The clash between the opposing elements is very wide, and the session was a stormy one. A platform is to be adopted to-morrow, and there is necessity of incorporating a bullion tax plank in it. The people will not stand any foolishness in this respect, and the leaders recognize the necessity. But to proclaim adherence to the law as it now stands is to condemn the Democratic Senator's course in the last Legislature, and repudiate his heresies. This would be a pleasurable task to the chivs, but the champion crow eater objects. He has swallowed Bradley, third term and all, albeit his organ shows violent symptoms of retching, and the feast has made him sick to the stomach; but to denounce his senatorial career, and pull him down from his proud prominence as the leader of the Bourbons in Eastern Nevada, is a bitter pill indeed. He had counted on utter silence in the convention, but the ringing resolution adopted by the Republican convention forbids that, and there is but one course for the Democracy to take. Beside, with Bradley as the standard bearer, they dare not array the unfriendly against his pet dogma; there would be no capital left to run the ticket on. The triumphant chivs are disposed to press the defeated chivs to the wall, and insist that the unfriendly must put themselves square upon the record as opposing any modification or repeal of the tax; and they openly assert that "kicking the stuffing out of platforms" will receive just and utter condemnation at their hands. The doughty George is the under dog in the fight, and will have to add the unpalatable resolution to his already bounteous crow repast.

Murdering a Witness. [Truckee Republican.]

A Chinaman named Lee Limb was killed in Chinnatown Sunday night last about 9 o'clock. He was shot in the back and wrist, and his thigh was slashed open with a knife. He had a revolver and two Chinese knives of murderous pattern on his person, but was assassinated before he could defend himself. He was the principal witness against Sing Limb, the murderer now in jail at Nevada. Sing Limb shot a Chinaman, as he said, "just for fun," and this last murder looks as if his friends were killing men in earnest.

Has again been painted and refitted. Its popular proprietor.

D. McFARLAND, Is still at his post, caring in person for the comfort of his guests.

At the Bar can always be found the finest Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

The Arcade sets a GOOD TABLE.

And spreads comfortable beds. Those who need accommodation will be well treated by D. McFARLAND, PROPRIETOR.

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INTERNATIONAL HOTEL.

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the entertainment of all who may be weary or thirsty, is still prepared for the reception and good treatment of all comers.

The hotel contains a large number of rooms, which are

Well Lighted and Thoroughly Ventilated.

The Bar is stocked with only the best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

Patronize the old stand, corner Commercial Row and Centre street.

W. T. C. ELLIOTT, PROPRIETOR.

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DEPOT HOTEL.

AT THE DEPOT, RENO, NEV.

William R. Chamberlain,

PROPRIETOR

THIS house is situated beside the Railroad track and it is but a step from the building to the cars of the C. P. R. R. on one side and those of the V. & T. R. on the other.

All the attractions of a First Class Hotel are supplied.

All the Passenger Trains stop in front of the Hotel.

The Office of Wells, Fargo & Co's. Express is in this building.

Connected with this Hotel is a first class

Lunch Room

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OYSTER SALOON,

Where passengers from the cars and all others desiring a "square meal," can get OYSTERS IN

EVERY STYLE, CLAMS, CRABS, PIGS, FEET,

ONIONS, HOT COFFEE AND TEA, and other delicacies.

W. M. CHAMBERLAIN, Proprietor.

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GRANGER HOUSE.

Corner Virginia and Second Streets, Reno, Nevada.

R. W. RUSSELL, Proprietor

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THIS HOTEL HAS BEEN FURNISHED

and placed in first-class condition for the traveling public.

THE BAR

Will always be supplied with the best Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

THE TABLE

Will at all times be supplied with the best Market Affords.

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WESTERN HOTEL.

PLAZA STREET, NEAR SIERRA, RENO.

D. SHAW, Proprietor

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Board & Lodging per week, \$7.

" " " " " day, \$1.

Single Meals, 25 Cents

Lodging, 25 and 50 Cents.

A BATH ROOM CONNECTED

WITH THE HOUSE.

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THIS HOTEL HAS BEEN THOROUGH-

LY overhauled and all its apartments put

guts.

A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited.

J. D. SHAW.

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OCEAN SPRAY SALOON.

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W. M. STOPHER IS AT THE OLD

Stand, corner of Plaza and Sierra Sts.

He will attend the thirsty at all hours.

The Best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

Don't forget the old place, because it is just the same as ever.

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The National Gold Medal was awarded to Bradley & Rulofson for the best Photog-

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429 Montgomery Street, San Francisco

had become blocked.

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A MILE of Trucks.

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—The Tribune

says, "The line of trucks loaded with

freight for the steamer City of Austin

yesterday, at one time was more than a mile in length. Because of the rigid quarantine no steamer had sailed for New Orleans or Galveston for a week, and Texas and Louisiana freight

had become blocked.

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